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For : YARD GAME THAT USES BALLS AND RINGS

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Dear Sir:

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed January 14, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider the following remarks.

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include three attached replacement sheets.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures and a new Abstract are attached following page 12 of this paper.